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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)	
Attorney Docket Number	50036/016003
Applicant	PHILIP W. HAMMOND et al.
Title	METHODS FOR PRODUCING NUCLEIC ACIDS LACKING 3'-UNTRANSLATED REGIONS AND OPTIMIZING CELLULAR RNA-PROTEIN FUSION FORMATION
<b>PRIORITY INFORMATION:</b>	
This application is a divisional of and claims priority from United States patent application 09/374,962, filed August 16, 1999, and United States provisional application 60/096,818, filed August 17, 1998.	
<b>SMALL ENTITY STATUS:</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.	
<b>APPLICATION ELEMENTS:</b>	
Cover sheet	1 page
Specification	25 pages
Claims	4 pages
Abstract	1 page
Drawing	14 sheets
Combined Declaration and POA, which is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy from prior application 09/374,962 and the entire disclosure of the prior application is considered as being part of the disclosure of this new application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.	3 pages
Sequence Statement	2 pages
Sequence Listing on Paper	
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